IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION

GUARDIAN PETITION NO. 147 OF 2004

In the matter of Guardian and Ward Act;

In the matter of appointment of Guardian of the Minor namely Master Amit David Charikar, Jew, Indian Inhabitant of Mumbai residing at "ETZ HAEEM" Prayer Hall, Umerkhadi Road, No. 2, Mumbai 400 009.

RIBKA RUBY BANDARKAR .... PETITIONER.

Mr. V. Z. Kankaria with P. Belosey and S.S. Deshmukh for petitioner.

CORAM : S.U.KAMDAR, J.

DATE : 19th January, 2005.

P.C.

1. The petitioner is the only relation of the minor child. The petitioner is the resident of Israel. The learned counsel appearing for the

petitioner makes a statement that save and except the petitioner there are no relations of the minor child from both mother's and father's side. The petitioner herein is the distant relative of the minor child and she is the resident of Israel and she has her own Bungalow as her residence at Israel. The petitioner is a widow and has no issues. The petitioner is also working in Israel. The petitioner has also income from the pensionary benefits of her deceased husband. The petitioner si present in Court. I have interviewed the petitioner. The petitioner assures the Court that she is in a position to look after the well being of the child.

2. At present situation the child has no relatives in India. The petitioner desires to go back to her place in Israel. If the child is left behind there will be nobody to look after the child.

3. The petitioner is directed to submit the follow up report of the child in the aforesaid peculiar circumstances every six months for a period of next three years. The petitioner is directed to execute a bond in the sum of Rs. 60,000/-.

4. In the aforesaid circumstances, the

petitioner is made absolute in terms of prayer clauses (a) and (c) to (f). There shall be no order as to costs.

5. C.C. expedited.